

The True Northerner.

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There is a very pretty quarrel going on in the ranks of the democratic party. Let the war wage.

The head of the Morrison bill was chopped off. Sam. Randall did it with his little hatchet.

Kickers, bolters and traitors are a few of the pet names that democratic papers are calling one-fifth of the representatives in congress, at the present time.

Cyrus W. Luce has consented to become a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination on the republican ticket. A good many republican papers are warmly advocating his candidacy.

Col. Stockbridge has withdrawn from the contest for the governorship, the health of his wife being such as to demand all his attention, and leaving him no time for political matters.

Congressman Yapple, notwithstanding the defeat of Horizontal Morrison, still hopes to be able to ruin the Michigan salt industry. Even this small crumb would afford him a grain of comfort.

The young republicans of Genesee county have adopted a commendable plan. They have organized a county republican club with headquarters at Flint, and a vice president in every town in the county.

The Herald says Yapple is not a democrat, but a full fledged greenbacker. We are very glad to be set right on this matter. We had supposed—judging from his record—that he was a free-trade democrat.

Randall is the ablest democrat in the House, has been as highly honored by the democratic party as any living democrat, but the Detroit Free Press has read him and his followers out of the democratic party.

We remember a statement in one of the school books, of how a blackhead school boy spelled and defined the word "accephalous": "a-c-e-p-h, cep, aceph, a louse without a head." This is the condition of the Morrison tariff bill.

The democratic Evening News has recently been busily booming Ben. It is a foregone conclusion that Butler will be nominated by the greenbackers, and if his boom gets big enough he may be endorsed by the democracy at Chicago, regardless of those spoons. Then the once proud and haughty party of Jefferson and Jackson will have become but the ragged tail of the rag baby kite. But "any port in a storm." It makes but little difference to that party who shall draw it out of the "horrible pit of miry clay" which it has dug, and into which it has fallen, provided only it is drawn. Like the old maid praying for a husband, it is ready to exclaim "anybody good Lord!"

Four republicans voted with the democrats, and forty-one democrats voted with the republicans, on the motion to strike out the enacting clause of Morrison's monstrosity. Commenting on the result the Detroit Free Press says: "Let Randall, Eaton and the rest of their crew take their places in the ranks of the party whose cause they uphold, and to whose principles they are nominally attached. Upon the only vital question dividing the two parties—the only great issue before the country—they are thoroughly anti-democratic." * * * "If nothing else is done, the sloughing off of protectionist democrats will leave the party cleaner, better, healthier and stronger than before."

The forty-one democrats who voted with the republicans were from the states of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, New Jersey, California, Maryland, Illinois, Connecticut, Louisiana, Virginia and West Virginia, and constitute one-fifth of the democratic members of the House. The republican party will be entirely willing to accept the suggestion of the Free Press and receive into its ranks one-fifth of the democratic party, provided they espouse the republican cause. The Free Press mathematician will have to be called upon to explain and elucidate how a party can be strengthened by losing one voter out of every five.

Moral Reform.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Free Press and Courier, of last week contains a timely article on the question of public morals. It intimates that while the people are bending their energies in the direction of the temperance reformation, they are evidently neglecting other important moral questions. It calls attention to the fact that on the calendar of our circuit court at the last September term there were found the following causes, viz: Adultery 1, incest 1, bastardy 1; at the November term, bastardy 1, rape 1, assault with intent to commit rape 1; at the January term, assault with intent to commit rape 1, and at the April term, rape 1, bastardy 2. It might well have included in the above list something like

40 divorce cases that appeared on the same calendars.

What may be the causes that conduce to such an array of crime and immorality, we will not pretend to say, but it is quite evident that there is a wide field for reformation in this direction, and that the sin of intemperance is not the only crying evil in the land.

We have nothing but good words to say in behalf of the work of saving men, women and children from the curse of intemperance, but, is it not true that some people, in their great zeal for the temperance cause, are liable to overlook and pass by other matters, equally worthy of the attention of those who would do good to mankind?

A gentleman, prominent in the ranks of the republican party, expresses his views of the presidential question as follows: "It is safe to say that seven-tenths, if not eight-tenths, of the republicans of Michigan are in favor of the nomination of James G. Blaine for president, and the state delegation to Chicago next month should be solid for him, if the decided choice of the party is to be regarded as binding. A delegation divided neutralizes itself, and loses the influence it should have in the national convention."

Watterson, the wild grasshopper eating Moe of the late confederacy, is a great brave, a very remarkable chief, with a great big jaw. Mournfully he smokes, and says: "Randall much traitor; Eaton big coward; Converse heap bad; no good Injuns left now but Watterson, Jeff Davis and Hurd." So, one by one, the aborigines disappear from the land, partly by whiskey, but largely through sadness.—Enter Occum.

Judge Withey has advised United States District Attorney Stone and Deputy Hyde to notify all persons who take copies of the Police Gazette and like publications from the postoffice to stop, or prosecutions will follow. The statute prohibiting the circulation of objectionable literature through the mails includes subscribers as well as publishers of such so called literature.—Allegan Journal and Tribune.

There was an amusing incident occurred in Sabbath school a short time since. A lady teacher had a class of boys and in their lesson they wished to know of her, what the Holy Ghost was. She told them the best she could, that when they did right and loved God a satisfaction was felt which filled their minds with the Holy Ghost. One little fellow says: "I know just how it is, I felt just so the night after town meeting when the republicans beat the greenbackers."—Hastings Banner.

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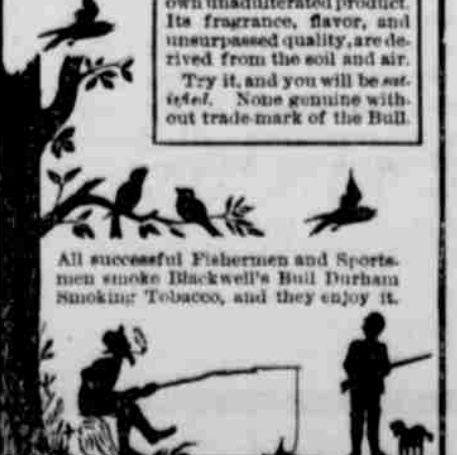
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